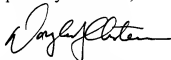


REMARKS

Claims 1-7 are pending. In response to the restriction requirement, claim 1 is withdrawn.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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